

PUBLIC LEDGER

FIFTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1896.

ONE CENT.



IF you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

C. W. Scott of Paris is visiting his daughters in this city.

Judge O. S. Downing of Mt. Olive was in the city yesterday.

Miss Lillie Dunbar of Paris is the guest of Miss Mary Gibson.

Mrs. E. H. Benzel is visiting relatives at Glasgow Junction.

Captain J. H. Myers was down yesterday from his farm at Licking.

Mrs. Lottie Bacon of Tuckahoe was visiting relatives in this city yesterday.

Mr. Thomas Johnson has returned from a five months stay at St. Louis, Mo.

Miss Lida Owens is at home from Richmond, where she has been attending school.

Miss Candace Filson has returned from Midway, where she attended school the past year.

Miss Edna Hunter and her brother John will leave this week on a visit with friends at Millersburg.

Misses Mary L. and Nannie Wood of the county left this week on a visit to friends at Covington.

Miss Lida Bridges arrived home yesterday afternoon from an extended visit to her sister at South Salem, O.

Miss Mary M. Wadler of Helena has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Claybrook, for a few days past.

Miss Florence McDaniel left this morning for Cincinnati to meet her little niece from Toledo, and will return tonight.

Mrs. W. H. Hendrick of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Annie Andrews of Pennsylvania were registered at the Central last night. They left this morning for Flemingsburg.

Mrs. L. B. Clinkbeard, after a month's visit to her son in this city, left yesterday afternoon for a visit to her daughter in Cincinnati and son in Louisville, after which she will return to her home in Winchester.

"Mrs. and Mrs. McCauley Smith, Harrisburg, Pa." is the way it appears on the register at the Central Hotel this morning. Mrs. Smith is Marie Decca, the Kentucky songstress, who will sing tomorrow evening at her old home, Germantown.

"Very Personal"—Postage on drop letters, whether sealed or not, is 3 cents. Many persons and their acquaintances use the "Postoffice" with only 1 cent stamp. These are "held for postage." Hereafter they must contain a 2 cent stamp.

Try the Globe Laundry. Goods called for and delivered.

Call and see the Champion Tobacco Worm and Potato Bug Destroyer at J. James Woods.

Mrs. Robert Perrine, residing at Tuckahoe, died at 5 o'clock this morning after a short illness.

The personal property of the late Rev. James A. Caywood, who suicided at the County Infirmary, has been appraised at \$40.70.

Dr. T. H. N. Smith, Dr. J. H. Samuel and James Cummings, all good Oddfellows and true, will go to Cincinnati this evening to become Muscovites—loyal subjects of the great White Bear. A Muscovite is to Oddfellows what a Shriner is to Masonry. Messrs. W. B. Pecor and Simon Nelson will go along to see that the new recruits get their money's worth.

The anti-begging ordinance of this city does not appear to lessen the number of professional beggars. Thursday there was a "pair" of "old parls" taking in the town house by house, one on each side of a street. One had his leg bit off—in a sawmill explosion. The other had the rheumatism in his left hind foot.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown left yesterday for Cincinnati, having in charge their little daughter Margaret. They went for the purpose of having their little daughter undergo an examination by a leading surgeon as to the advisability of having an operation performed that will relieve her, as she has been a great sufferer for some time.

Cincinnati belongs to the drummers, and the Mayville boys have the pick and choice of all. Those who are there to see that Mayville Council gets what is due it is: J. P. Wallace, J. F. Nicholson, J. C. Rains, George F. Brown, George Schroeder, W. B. Means, G. D. Russell, J. Barbour Russell, G. W. Rogers and George W. Childs.

All members of Washington Camp No. 3, P. O. S. A., are requested to meet at the Hall in Cox Building at 12:30 Saturday morning to join Joseph Heiser Post, G. A. R., in the observance of Memorial Day.

W. R. Rudy, Secretary.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White clouds—FAIR;
Blue—RAIN or SNOW;
With black above—WILL WARMER
GROW;
If black's beneath—COLDER; if will
be;
Unless black's shown—no change
we time.

The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 6 o'clock every evening.

Don't forget the dance at Neptune Hall tonight.

See the White Kid Strap Sandals at J. Henry Pecor's.

Empress Josephine Toilet Articles sold by J. James Woods.

Liquor license has been granted to Martin Fay, No. 112 Market street.

Judge Thompson of Louisville decides that wheelmen must keep off the sidewalks.

See the latest styles of Men's and Ladies' Colored Footwear at the Progress Shoe Store.

The property of the Lexington Fair Association will be disposed of at public sale Saturday.

Children's Day will be observed by the Washington Presbyterian Church next Sunday. All are invited.

Marie Decca, who is to sing at Germantown Saturday evening, was married recently to Mr. Smith of Harrisburg, Pa.

Surely no one can grumble now at not having had enough rain, as the precipitation has been immense all over the country.

The L. and N. Railroad Company was indicted at Shelbyville on fifty-seven counts for failing its employees work on Sunday.

Professor J. R. Spurgeon will deliver the memorial address to McKinnon Post, G. A. R., at Washington Decoration Day.

Mr. James Cheever of Aberdeen is now ticket agent at the joint office of the C. and O. and L. N. at Fourth and Smith streets, Cincinnati.

The Grand Jury at Versailles is investigating the charges against William Shipley and Charles Stone, the alleged defaulting officials of the Midway Deposit Bank.

Sir Knights J. H. Sallee, J. D. Dye and R. P. Jenkins returned last night from the conclave at Richmond, and the balance of Mayville's contingent got in at 10 o'clock this morning. Mayville has now the second highest officer in the state—Colonel E. A. Robinson, Deputy Grand Commander.

FOR-MEMORIAL DAY.

Will Be Very Generously Observed in Mayville This Year.

May 30th,
"Memorial Day," is a National Holiday.

Its observance is becoming more general every year.

The Postoffice will close tomorrow at 11 a. m., and will remain closed during the day.

There will be one delivery of mail by carriers, that at 7 a. m.

There will be two collections, one at 7 a. m. and the other at 4:30 p. m.

All the Banks will close at noon.

A large number of business houses will also be closed during the afternoon ceremonies at Dieterich Park and at the Cemetery.

Hon. John P. McCartney of Flemingsburg, who will be the orator of the day, will reach the city this evening and will be tendered an informal reception at G. A. R. Hall, to which all old soldiers and their friends are cordially invited.

All the fraternal Orders of the city have been invited to join with the Grand Army in paying tribute to the dead, and several have signified their intention to participate.

Those having flowers to contribute for decorating the graves are requested to send them to G. A. R. Hall, Cox Building, not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

The Ledger office will close at noon, that the employees may honor the day.

OUR BASEBALL MAN

WHAT HE SAYS OF THE NATIONAL GAME.



It was no hippodrome!

It was a good game of ball.

Everybody present admitted it.

Yesterday afternoon promptly at 3 o'clock, when Umpire Joe O'Donnell yelled "Play ball!" the Mayville boys jumped in and began taking the advice of Mr. Umpire, and they kept it up until the very last man was retired in the ninth inning.

At no time did the little fellows shrink, but they put up an article of ball that pleased the audience to a man; and when a club does that in Mayville you can bet your last year's suit it is all right.

The makeup of the teams yesterday was of such a character that the most experienced "fan" was wrong in the choice of clubs, as the Pennsylvanians were all large, strapping fellows, while our club are all small fellows with a few exceptions, and naturally the visitors were the favorites until they played the first, and that settled it, as the little fellows were simply on their mettle and they played like Leaguers.

From start to finish it was a pitchers' battle, both serving their best stock of curves.

The little fellow Hiberger, who was in the points for the home team, pitched a great game, striking out six men of the opposing team.

Loyde was in the box for the visitors, and did fairly well, the boys hitting him, but not effectively.

Curie played a great game with the stick, Gray is a natural born ball player and the whole team is composed of good material, and the public should give them the liberal patronage they deserve.

The game by innings was as follows:

FIRST INNING.

Van Winkle fouled out. Cox poked a little one at Loyde, who fumbled it long enough for Ben to catch his breath and first. Gray smashed the hide to Renner, who threw him out at first, and Roberts in turn threw Cox out at third.

For the visitors, Ferguson tried Dickey with a foul, and he gobbled it. Then "Little Johnny" Dugan, he played the calisthenic act with the wind, and Frey went out on a fly to Hiberger.

SECOND INNING.

In the second, Lautenbach fled out to Renner, Curie fouled out and Lucas fled out to Frey.

Lautenbach drove a long fly to Cox, who scooped it in. Roberts hit a corking fly over Gray's head for a base, Hunt blocked out. Renner poked a scorcher at Lautenbach, who handed it smoking to Gray and stopped Roberts.

THIRD INNING.

Wadsworth fled to Frey, Kellner to Renner and Hiberger to Dugan.

Renner beat the wind, Whalen whaled the breezes and Loyde fouled out.

FOURTH INNING.

Van Winkle fouled out. Cox scratched Ferguson for an out at first. Gray smacked a beaut past Ferguson for a sack. Lautenbach fouled out.

"Little Johnny" Dugan was dead easy via Hiberger-Lucas, and Frey walked the same place, while Lautenbach took the Gray-Lucas run.

FIFTH INNING.

Curie opened up with a screaming two-bagger to Frey. Lucas sent a dead easy one to Loyde, who threw to Ferguson to catch Curie, but Frey couldn't hold it and both were safe. Wadsworth fouled out. Kellner sacrificed the two runners up a notch. Hiberger popped up a little fly between first and second. Ferguson muffed it and Curie and Lucas scored. Ferguson kept Van Winkle from making connections with first.

Roberts fled to Van, Hunt took a fan, Renner hit over Gray's head, and Wadsworth fumbled it long enough to give the runner line, Ferguson hit to Lautenbach, who made a double play, killing Loyde and Ferguson, "Johnnie" Dugan took a walk and Frey took an out via Hiberger-Lucas.

SIXTH INNING.

Wadsworth got a present, but was forced out at second by Kellner, who took second on a wild throw, Hiberger flew out to Ferguson and Van, hit to short for an out at first.

Lautenbach fled out to Gray, and the little fellow sidetracked Roberts at first, Hunt hit for one over Gray's head and went to second on a passed ball, Renner hit a fly over Gray's head for a base, and Hunt was caught fully a foot from the plate.

EIGHTH INNING.

Cox fouled out, Gray fled out to second and Lautenbach fled out to left field.

Whalen poked one to Lucas for an out, Loyde smacked one into right field for a base, and Ferguson did the same, while "Johnnie" Dugan went out at first, and so did Frey.

NINTH INNING.

Curie was presented with first, swiped second and then rubbered on Wadsworth's side, drive to right, Kellner fled out to second and Hiberger went out Renner-Roberts.

Lautenbach fled out to Lautenbach, Roberts rolled one down the alley to Van, who fumbled it and the runner lived and went to second on a passed ball, Hunt beat the wind, Renner hit to right for a base and Roberts scored the visitors' only run. Whalen tried the alley route, but Van sidetracked him at Lucasville.

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Cox beat the wind, Gray punched one to Ferguson for an out at first, Lautenbach went against the pill for a bag, Curie smacked one down between first and second for a base, Lucas rolled one past Roberts for a sack, scoring Curie and Lautenbach, but was caught off first.

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The following is the score:

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Van Winkle, 3b..... 4 0 1 3 2 1

Cox, c..... 4 0 0 1 0 0

Gray, 2b..... 4 0 1 3 0 0

Lautenbach, s..... 4 1 1 2 0 1

Roberts, 1b..... 4 0 0 0 0 0

Lucas, lf..... 4 1 0 0 0 0

Wadsworth, c..... 4 0 1 0 1 0

Kellner, p..... 4 0 0 0 0 0

Hiberger, p..... 4 0 1 3 3 0

26 5 6 26 9 2

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Ferguson, 2b..... 4 0 1 3 4 2

Dugan, c..... 4 0 0 0 0 0

Frey, lf..... 4 0 0 4 0 0

Lautenbach, s..... 4 0 0 4 0 1

Roberts, 1b..... 4 1 1 2 1 2

Hunt, r..... 4 0 1 2 0 0

Renner, s..... 4 0 2 3 2 1

Whalen, 3b..... 4 0 0 2 0 0

Loyde, p..... 3 0 1 0 1 0

34 1 6 27 10 6

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Mayville..... 0 0 0 2 2 0 0 1-3

Pennsylvania..... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-3

Earned runs—Mayville 1.

Two-base hit—Curie.

Passed balls—Kellner 2, Lautenbach 1.

Struck out—By Hiberger 6, Loyde 2.

Left on bases—Mayville 4, Pennsylvania 6.

Double play—Gray to Lucas.

Successful hits—Kellner, Dugan.

Time of game—One hour and forty minutes.

Umpire—Joe O'Donnell.

Score—Andrew Rogers.

The game today, which will be called at 3 p. m. sharp, will be equally as interesting, and there should be a large gathering to witness it.

The battery for Mayville will be Curie and Kellner.

And for Pennsylvania Slade and Lautenbach.

The management requests us to say that there will be no 15 cent tickets sold to anyone except ladies, and children under 15 years of age.

Mr. Martin Hanley has contracted with Lane & Worick for a handsome iron front to be placed at once in his Market street property.

Judge Garrett S. Wall while crossing the Front street viaduct a few days ago slipped between the timbers and severely injured his leg.

Lecture at the M. E. Church, by Mr. H. Vincent Mendenhall, American tourist orator, Monday evening, June 1st, 1896. Subject—"What is the Matter With the World?" Admission, 35 cents.

When You're Seriously Ill

You consult a doctor of known reputation. Same rule should apply to your watch when it is out of order, whether a cheap one or a fine one. If you bring it here no matter what it may need you can rely on having it repaired as well as it could be done any place—factory not excepted.

We also sell watches of every grade, from the lowest priced to the finest thing made, costing from \$2.50 to \$25.00, and no one can give you a lower price on same quality than you can get at

BALLENGER'S.

The personal property of the late Rev. James A. Caywood was sold at public auction, realizing \$57.85.

The late Mr. George Riley began his business career by serving as apprentice to the saddlery manufacture under Mr. David Hickman at Washington; the latter was the father of our esteemed fellow-citizen, Mr. John G. Hickman.

White Kid
**Strap : :
Sandals.**
J. HENRY PECOR.

KENTUCKY FAIRS.

When "Agricultural Horse Trials" Will Be Held This Year.

Following are the places and dates determined for Kentucky Fairs for the present year.

Secretaries are respectfully requested to send in dates for additional announcements, and to make such corrections as may be necessary to complete the list:

Sharpsburg—Week beginning July 23d.

Winchester—Week beginning July 23d.

Danville—Week beginning August 3d.

Union county—August 14th, five days.

Campbellsville—Week, beginning August 10th.

Versailles—Week beginning August 10th.

Bullitt county, at Shepherdsville—August 11th, four days.

Springfield—Week beginning August 17th.

Lebanon—Week beginning August 24th.

Madisonville—August 24th, four days.

Hardstown—Week beginning August 24th.

Williamstown—September 2d, three days.

Bowling Green—Week beginning September 2d.

Elizabethtown—September 3rd, four days.

Ewing—Four days, beginning September 8th.

Franklin—Week beginning September 14th.

Paducah—Week beginning September 21st.

Open date probably Henderson—September 28th.

Glasgow—September 30th, four days.

Owensboro—Week beginning October 2th.

It is a pity that such a man had to be run down by a bicycle, for his life was worth all the bicycles in the world.

He was as generous and large hearted as man as ever lived. All the commanders of the large Mississippi river boats have been Kentuckians, and Captain Leathers was no exception, he having gone from Kenton county, Captain Peyton Key of the famous Belle City having been a native of Mason, while Captain John W. Cannon of the great Robert E. Lee was raised about Frankfort.

It is to be hoped that Captain Leathers will survive the accident, but his age is against him, he being 80 years old, but he has a magnificent constitution.

Captain Leathers was known from Louisville to New Orleans as the "Big Injun" on account of his size and the fact of a picture of a tremendous Indian always adorning the wheelhouse of his steamboat, the Natchez. He was one of the most popular commanders who ever navigated the Western waters.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CRENKY & CO., Proprietors, Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Crenky for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

W. A. TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Our High-Grade

Colored Footwear!

That's what you want for Summer wear. When the weather is hot the Shoes, like the clothing, must be cool, and our Colored Shoes are the beau ideal of coolness.

All the Correct Shades and Styles of Lasts.....

Nothing can be easier on the feet or handsomer or better fitting. For easy Colored Shoes and Oxfords, at easy prices, you will find nothing like our..

F. B. RANSON & CO.

No. 35 WEST SECOND STREET.

DEATHS.

Six Hundred Killed and 1,500 Wounded.

Millions of Dollars Worth of Property Destroyed

By the Most Terrible Cyclone in the History of the Country.

St. Louis Devasted and East St. Louis, Ill., Partially in Ruins.

Many of the Best Blocks of the Mound City Shattered—The Convention Hall Wrecked—The Great East Bridge Half Destroyed—Many Scattered Wrecked.

St. Louis, May 26.—In that portion of St. Louis south of the Iron Mountain tracks and east of Sixth street to the river the scene was frightful, but it was nothing to compare with the scene along the levee, Broadway and the side streets. Every house had relatives and friends among the dead and injured. Husbands, fathers and brothers worked at night in the freight houses, on the boats and cars, and as those could not be found the anguish of the mothers, sisters and other relatives was heartrending. They would run from one temporary morgue to another, and in some instances push aside dead bodies in order to identify their relatives, and when found their cries would melt a heart of stone. Mother would behold the distorted form of an only son, while at another place some other member would find a missing father, brother or daughter. Miss Dean sat speechless in the carriages, while her dead father lay on some straw at her feet. Her mother was not far away, and two younger brothers lay mangled upon a door nearby. It was an awful spectacle, but it was duplicated over and over again. To add to the distress there was no light of any kind to be had.

The list of the dead and injured on the east side of the river will not be complete until hours of daylight permit effective search of the ruins. Enough is known, however, to show that more lives have been lost than upon the westside. The injured range in the hundreds. Perhaps the most impressive evidence of the storm clouds' force is to be seen in the wreck of the eastern end of the Eads bridge. There the tornado dealt with stone. It was torn off and tumbled down tons upon tons of this masonry beginning with the big eastern pier and extending to the foot of the incline, the cloud cut off the upper part of the structure as if it had been a flimsy reed instead of a work of world-wide fame for massiveness. What the tornado did to the Eads bridge will not be believed until the eyes are opened. Three boats of the Anchor line were in port. These were the City of Monroe, which was ready to leave for New Orleans. She had a large crew and about thirty-five passengers. She was badly wrecked in her upper works, tumbled across the river where she lodged at Chouteau avenue. It was reported that her passengers and crew were safe. The other two boats were the City of Cairo and the Arkansas City. They were moored at the foot of Chouteau avenue and Carroll streets respectively. They were torn loose and no intelligence was received from them up to midnight. Being temporarily out of commission, they had but few crew members. The company also had a number of barges torn away and probably sunk. The St. Louis and Mississippi Valley Transportation Co. had two boats at the river and Harvester, the best of the line, set adrift. One of the boats was reported to be sunk at the foot of Central street. The Henry Lowrey, of this line, was left at the wharf, but it is damaged. No information concerning the employees could be obtained. The tug Rescue No. 3, belonging to the Virginia Ferry Co., was reported to be sunk at the foot of Olive street.

A detailed statement of the damage to buildings is yet impossible to obtain. Hundreds of residences all over the city were either totally wrecked or badly damaged, and even the stanchest buildings in the city succumbed to the fury of the storm. The Henry Lowrey, at the Auditorium building, where the republican convention will be held was broken and the pole on which the stars and stripes so proudly waved in the breeze before was blown off and the flag ripped into shreds. The east roof of the building was blown off, the string beams shattered windows within a radius of 100 feet. The plaster on the roof was carried away. This caused many holes and crevices, through which the water poured and submerged the floor of the building. There is not much left of the roof at best, and the water poured and repoured. A couple of roof joists went through the south wall of the building, tearing in a space of four by five feet and this was not through windows, but the solid portion of the wall. These two joists hung threateningly over the interior. It was in the evening hour, and nearly two hundred persons were in the "bull ring." They were too frightened to move, but through escape would have been easy. Instead, they set up a yell of terror

and voluntarily sought shelter in their cells.

Three stories of the Coo Manufacturing Co.'s building, 9th and Gratiot, and nearly half of the west wall of every building between 9th and 11th streets were blown down. The Summer high school, 11th and Spruce streets; T. T. McMorris's school, 11th and Gratiot, and Hotel Emmet, on the opposite corner; Jerry Sheehan's livery stable, 11th and Walnut; and Dr. Enno Sanders Mineral spa, 13th and South streets, were all wrecked. The engineer at the Alton Iron works, 31st and Papin streets, was almost instantly killed. The walls blew in and he was smothered to death by steam. The Consolidated wire works, Twenty-first and Papin streets, was almost totally wrecked. One of the boilers blew up and the cyclone did the rest. The great plant was almost wholly demolished. The tornado seemed to take a northwesterly course from Fourteenth and Gratiot streets to Jefferson avenue and Pine. As the storm cut through the railroad yards back of the Union station it turned over many number of freight cars and passenger cars and carried away the northwest corner of the Union depot grain elevator. This elevator is one of the largest in the city and as the wreckage came down it crashed through the roofs of a half dozen houses.

The Planter's hotel lost several hundred pounds of glass. Every room in the west side of the top floor was damaged. The ladies' saloon, the Southern was damaged, the chef was cut in the head by pieces of glass and several other persons were injured. Every electric light on the court house was extinguished. The city hall windows are all smashed. Olive street, from Sixth to Fourteenth, is a mass of wreckage. Broken glass and splintered signs cover the pavements. The net work of live wires that dragged the ground free boded death to pedestrians. The storm was in its glory as it swept up Broad Twelfth street from Market to Washington. Not a stone building sign was left in its place and wagons and vehicles were blown up against the store doors. Patrick's church, northwest corner of Sixth and Bluff streets, was badly damaged. The steeple was demolished and three bells were hurled to the ground, one of which that thoroughfare. The organ loft and organ are wrecked. The church was erected about thirty-four years ago and cost \$25,000. The damage sustained will foot up in the thousands. Sixth street, from Bluff to Fourth, was almost wholly blocked with debris. The brick crowing of the saloon building on the southwest corner of Sixth and Carr streets blew off and struck a baker's wagon, demolishing the wagon and fatally injuring the boy who was driving.

The section of the city lying south of Chouteau avenue was very badly damaged. Southard market was destroyed. Enough is known, however, to show that more lives have been lost than upon the westside. The injured range in the hundreds. Perhaps the most impressive evidence of the storm clouds' force is to be seen in the wreck of the eastern end of the Eads bridge. There the tornado dealt with stone. It was torn off and tumbled down tons upon tons of this masonry beginning with the big eastern pier and extending to the foot of the incline, the cloud cut off the upper part of the structure as if it had been a flimsy reed instead of a work of world-wide fame for massiveness. What the tornado did to the Eads bridge will not be believed until the eyes are opened. Three boats of the Anchor line were in port. These were the City of Monroe, which was ready to leave for New Orleans. She had a large crew and about thirty-five passengers. She was badly wrecked in her upper works, tumbled across the river where she lodged at Chouteau avenue. It was reported that her passengers and crew were safe. The other two boats were the City of Cairo and the Arkansas City. They were moored at the foot of Chouteau avenue and Carroll streets respectively. They were torn loose and no intelligence was received from them up to midnight. Being temporarily out of commission, they had but few crew members. The company also had a number of barges torn away and probably sunk. The St. Louis and Mississippi Valley Transportation Co. had two boats at the river and Harvester, the best of the line, set adrift. One of the boats was reported to be sunk at the foot of Central street. The Henry Lowrey, of this line, was left at the wharf, but it is damaged. No information concerning the employees could be obtained. The tug Rescue No. 3, belonging to the Virginia Ferry Co., was reported to be sunk at the foot of Olive street.

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Three stories of the Coo Manufacturing Co.'s building, 9th and Gratiot, and nearly half of the west wall of every building between 9th and 11th streets were blown down. The Summer high school, 11th and Spruce streets; T. T. McMorris's school, 11th and Gratiot, and Hotel Emmet, on the opposite corner; Jerry Sheehan's livery stable, 11th and Walnut; and Dr. Enno Sanders Mineral spa, 13th and South streets, were all wrecked. The engineer at the Alton Iron works, 31st and Papin streets, was almost instantly killed. The walls blew in and he was smothered to death by steam. The Consolidated wire works, Twenty-first and Papin streets, was almost totally wrecked. One of the boilers blew up and the cyclone did the rest. The great plant was almost wholly demolished. The tornado seemed to take a northwesterly course from Fourteenth and Gratiot streets to Jefferson avenue and Pine. As the storm cut through the railroad yards back of the Union station it turned over many number of freight cars and passenger cars and carried away the northwest corner of the Union depot grain elevator. This elevator is one of the largest in the city and as the wreckage came down it crashed through the roofs of a half dozen houses.

The dead in St. Louis and vicinity as a result of Wednesday's cyclone number nearly five hundred. One thousand and injured are now in the dispensary and others are being brought in. Almost a reign of terror prevailed in East St. Louis Thursday night. Save for a tug and a few rowboats, placed at the service of doctors, physicians, newspaper men and others whose duties called them to the scene, the place has been cut off from communication with this city since Wednesday night. A section of the upper or railroad portion of the Eads bridge having been carried away, while guards were stationed at either end to prevent pedestrians using the foot bridge. The thieves and tongs of the city, however, reinforced by scores from the country surrounding started in Thursday afternoon to pillage the overturned trucks in the streets and the freight cars on the sidings, and which were filled with valuable merchandise, groceries and provisions. The small police force had been detailed to aid the injured and assist in the task of searching the ruins, and realizing that they were powerless to preserve order, they were prevented. Mayor Bader called up Gov. Altgeld for aid. He responded by ordering two companies of militia to St. Louis. The first company arrived from Belleville at nine o'clock, and the second was en route from Greenville on a special train, and were on the ground at one o'clock. The governor himself arrived late Thursday night and directed the detailing of the troops about the various properties to be protected. Prior to his arrival a meeting of leading citizens was held. The first national bank building in response to a call hurriedly issued by ex-Congressman W. S. Gorman and others, and after a full discussion of the situation, it was decided to issue an appeal to the people of the United States for aid. Paul W. Abbott, president of the First national bank of St. Louis, was selected as treasurer, to whom all contributions can be sent.

Carroll, May 26, a. m.—Reports received to this hour by the United Press indicates a loss of 500 lives in St. Louis and East St. Louis, with the loss of property in the Missouri city by \$50 to \$75. The number of injured in the two cities will be found to be nearly 1,500, judging by the masses already reported. Nearly 100 injured persons were reported by their physicians as fatally or internally injured in St. Louis. The victims were taken to their homes and were not in the police records. The number of identified dead in St. Louis within the police' observation is 128; in East St. Louis 108, and 90 persons reported missing in the city on this side put in the death column. Many of the injured in both cities will die. Many of the injured have already been removed to the city hospital. St. Louis people are homeless and in dire need.

The loss of property in St. Louis is reliably estimated at \$4,000,000, and in the Illinois city at \$2,000,000 with much higher estimates from other sources. The work of distributing relief money has already begun.

In other Illinois and Missouri cities the extent of the storm's work is still in doubt because of the broken telegraphic communications. It is known that the storm touched Rockbridge, Pinkey, Irvington, Richwood, New Drake, New Baden and New Minden, Ill., and Rush Hill, Mo. Many lives reported to have been lost in these places, but confirmatory direct news is lacking as to the fatalities. Additional dispatches from Indiana show the fury of the elements was not dissipated until Albany, Benton and Princeton had been attacked, doing great damage to property by wind and water. Crops were destroyed in the intervening country. The governor of Illinois is on the worst of cases at East St. Louis, and two companies of the national guard are on duty to prevent pillage and keep order on the lawlessly inclined. A call for help has gone forth from the stricken Illinois city. Both cities were practically in darkness Thursday night, except in business center, while the work of recovering the dead from the wreck of buildings is prosecuted under difficulties.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Place of Meeting Will Not Be Chosen, Neither Will the Date Be Postponed. WASHINGTON, May 26.—Senator Cator, chairman of the national republican committee, up to a late hour Thursday night had not heard from the local committee in St. Louis as to the damage done to convention hall. He will not move in the matter of postponing the date of the republican convention until he is informed of the desires of the local committee in the premises. In no event, he says, will the place of holding the republican convention be changed.

Gold Standard Democratic Revolt. CHICAGO, May 26.—The gold standard democratic of Cook county, who rallied against the "alleged brass" primary methods of the free silver majority of the county central committee, declared their secession from the existing party organization at a largely attended meeting Thursday night of the committee of 500 and others. There was a unanimous decision to organize as the honest money and honest primary club of Cook county at once and to hold a convention June 18.

A distinguished Visitor Expected. NEW CASTLE, Ind., May 26.—There is a very good prospect that New Castle will be honored during the summer by the visit of one of England's most noted noblemen, Lord Russell, chief justice of England. Lord Russell is a first cousin to C. M. Moore, of this city, and late treasurer of Henry county.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

DISPUTE SETTLED.

South Covington Recognized as a Separate Corporation by the Court of Appeals. FRANKFORT, Ky., May 26.—The court of appeals Thursday morning affirmed the lower court's decision in the consolidated cases of the contesting officers of South Covington, and upheld the old judgment.

The judgment so affirmed is one declaring the act of the legislature of May 12, 1894, incorporating the South Covington district in Kenton county, and providing for municipal government, to be in force, and that the trustees thereof are William Gliddens, Henry Arkenum, W. H. Powell, Wm. Decker and W. H. Dye.

It is further adjudged that the defendants, Charles G. Mason, claiming to be mayor; B. F. Mullins, claiming to be police judge; and John R. Coppin, G. R. Rouse, Peter Behlenger, Joseph Davis and John R. Albrink, claiming to be councilmen, are perpetually enjoined from exercising or exercising the powers and duties of said offices.

A CASE OF SUICIDE.

Man Killed by the Train at Gray's Station Not Yet Identified. GREENUP, Ky., May 26.—The unknown man killed by a train at Gray's station on the Kentucky and Ohio freight train undoubtedly committed suicide.

Coroner Brady held an inquest. J. J. Smith, engineer of the train, stated that the man threw off his hat, gave a yell and jumped in front of the moving train. The engine pilot knocked him down and dragged his body some distance before the train could be stopped.

A copy of the Nashville Bulletin of May 15, was found in one of his pockets. The paper bore the name of J. E. Gentry. The editor published what they had a man by that name on their list at Johnson Junction, Fleming county, Ky. Telegrams were sent to that place, but no reply was received.

The Jury Failed to Agree.

OWENSBURG, Ky., May 26.—The trial of John H. Owens for the murder of his cousin, Minnie Fassett, at this place on the 6th of last July, continued yesterday week in the circuit court. The jury was discharged after having been out about twenty-four hours and having failed to make a verdict. One juror was for acquittal and 11 for 21 years in the penitentiary.

Houses Unroofed at Bowling Green.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., May 26.—The storm of Tuesday night did much damage about 3 o'clock Thursday morning. Several houses were unroofed and orchards and forests laid waste. Damage to fruit trees will reach thousands of dollars in this county.

Graded School Tournament.

PARIS, Ky., May 26.—The fourth annual graded school tournament of the district of Jasper was held in Paris Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The schools of Cytharans, Harrodsburg, Fairview, Fulton, Paris, Lawrenceburg, Richmond, Versailles, Millersburg and Elizaville will be represented and at least 500 visitors are expected.

L. S. Indicted.

SHEEPSVILLE, Ky., May 26.—The grand jury has indicted the L. & N. railroad Co. in 37 different cases for working on Sunday. The work was done by men in their employ in grading the new road between here and Christiansburg.

Granted a Divorce.

VERMILION, Ky., May 26.—In the circuit court Mrs. Belle M. B. Mastin was granted a divorce from Robert Mastin, Jr., and her maiden name, Belle Wright, was restored.

Two Brothers Shot From Ambush.

MIDDLEBORO, Ky., May 26.—George and Huston Greene were from an ambush in Hancock county, Tenn., 20 miles from here. There is no clew to the perpetrators.

Wrecked Jail at Liberty.

MIDDLEBORO, Ky., May 26.—Best Austin escaped from the new jail at Liberty by picking the lock with a wire nail. The building is new and cost \$10,000.

Shocked by Lightning.

PARIS, Ky., May 26.—During a heavy storm lightning struck an umbrella carried by Robert Dow, Jr., tearing it to pieces. Dow escaped with a slight shock.

It Was Murder.

FALMOUTH, Ky., May 26.—The coroner's jury returned a verdict to the effect that Christine Bieschmidt was murdered by an unknown party.

Appointed to West Point.

MAYVILLE, Ky., May 26.—Preston D. Wells, son of Squire John E. Wells, has received the appointment of cadet to West Point military academy.



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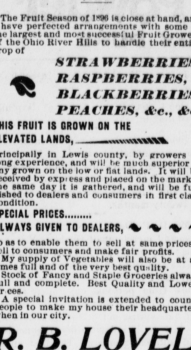
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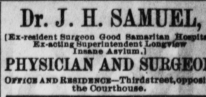


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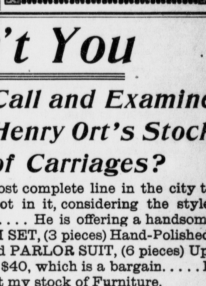


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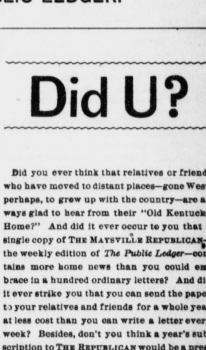
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HAPPENED AT HELENA.

Choice Cuttings From the Garden of Information in That Beautiful Section.

Little Miss May Robert Dixon is very sick at this writing.

Mr. Addison Nettis and son were at Sharpsburg on business the past few days.

Miss Maggie Rose and sister of Newport are visiting their uncle, J. H. Rose of this place.

Children's Day will be celebrated the first Sunday in June at the Mile Creek Christian Church; also preaching Sunday, May 31st.

Johnnie Vinest, a young boy about 15 years of age, was climbing for a squirrel and fell about fifty feet and broke one arm and leg and injured himself internally.

Joe Nunton, a colored man, had a gun to explode with him Wednesday morning. He was injured some, but not seriously, and not seriously—mostly powder burned.

ABROAD AMENITIES.

Earnings From the Great Green of All This Country Round About.

P. N. Bradford and Walter Sibbald were "doing" Cincinnati Wednesday.

Dr. W. O. Eaton has moved his office to his dwelling on North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Browning of Mayville paid our city a visit Wednesday.

Mr. John Davis and niece, Miss Nellie Davis, arrived Wednesday morning from Dayton, O.

Mr. A. L. Hudson left Wednesday morning for Osborn, O., to visit her sister, Mrs. Thomas McDaniel.

Mrs. Emma Casto and daughter Pearl left on excursion train Wednesday afternoon for Cincinnati.

Rudson's bill of fare for Sunday, 31st, is all right. Several different kinds of creams, loaves and shortbreads.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDaniel died at their home at Osborn, O., Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. George Clephane, accompanied by his mother and sister, left Wednesday for a visit to relatives and friends at Dayton.

Snell Taylor and the two Protons had two unassisted runs Tuesday evening. None of the parties arrested. But that was not the case of our officers, for we have good ones in our little city.

Our correspondent for The Bulletin speaks not Wednesday's issue as if our people could not enjoy a good sermon unless it is delivered by a visiting Minister. We, however, beg to differ with her, as we enjoy all the meetings we attend and think Brother Walters a very able Minister, and possibly a great deal better morally than most of the congregation.

Captain Piester was stopped the Mayville policemen from crossing the river on their recent visit by charging ferrings on their guests. It is not the price they kick on, but the principle, as no one is to be charged for the use of the railroad make any charge for transportation of wheels. "What is justice is" does not appear to work with the sterner Leavening.

There has never been proof of an Indian being killed by a cyclone. People who are killed in cyclones live in brick or frame houses.

After three years' work the debris of the World's Fair at Chicago, Ill., has been removed and the site restored to the park commissioners.

Statistics show that Salem, Mass., with a population of 34,000, expended annually for its poor \$44,000, a larger amount than Worcester, with a population of 100,000.

The results of advertising were recently illustrated in London. A man advertised for the return of a lost cat. In less than a week 383 of them were brought to his house.

The elm tree beetle has reappeared in most Connecticut cities this year, and Hartford, New Haven, and other cities are preparing to spend thousands of dollars for its extermination.

The great New Boston Public Library has already been found to have been planned and inadequate. It costs \$2,000,000, and now \$30,000,000 is about to be expended to construct a "suitable reading room."

Stephen Greichman, the Jersey City scold, is supposed to have burned \$5,500 in bank notes before taking his life, his object being to deprive his wife and children of the use of the money. He left a letter inciting \$150 for funeral expenses.

FOR THE SURF GIRL.

Don't let That Observation Taught an Observer to Utter.

Don't wear a conspicuous bathing suit. Don't loiter about the sand in your bathing suit; go directly into the water.

Don't sit in the sand in a wet bathing suit with a man similarly attired.

Don't bathe with strange men; the etiquette of introduction is just as strict in the water as in the drawing-room.

Don't loiter about the bathroom corridors; a woman in a wet bathing suit is not a thing of beauty.

Don't wash the salt out of your hair under the pump with the assistance of half a dozen men.

Don't imagine that even the Venus de Milo could look pretty with wet hair hanging down her back.

Don't talk from one bathing-house to another, and don't report progress of your toilet to your girl chum.

Don't encourage men to loiter outside your bathing-house waiting for your reappearance.

Don't dry your hair on the beach, but twist it in a knot, and returning to your hotel, dry it on an upper balcony.

Don't go into a cafe after your bath and take a cocktail.

Pure Paris Green sold by J. James Wood.

The spring trade is getting ripe. Now's the time to plant advertisements in THE LEDGER.

Buy a Gas stove and save 35% on your gas bills. Investigate the cost. J. J. Fitzgerald.

Leave orders with James N. Lynch for The Cincinnati Post, the best afternoon daily in the Ohio Valley.

Consult your interests by looking over the advertisements and see who have the courtesy to solicit your favors.

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A New York dentist employs a woman assistant at a salary of \$30 a week and a commission, who goes from house to house and cleans teeth. The charge is 50 cents a month, and she does a big business.

First Class Steamboat Service Between Detroit and Cleveland, Put-in-Bay and Toledo.

D. and C. Floating Palaces are now running daily between Detroit and Cleveland, and on May 1st will commence to run daily between Cleveland, Put-in-Bay and Toledo.

If you are traveling between the above points, take advantage of a special rate and have a cloudy or contracted brow. Your wife may have trix, which, though of less magnitude, may be hard for her to bear. A kind word, a tender look, will do wonders in chasing from her brow all clouds of gloom.

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